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Many of those, who came from other towns, say the best they did in connection with their cotton crop was the money to Hickman, where prices were sufficient to more than pay for the hauling, as compared with the local markets.

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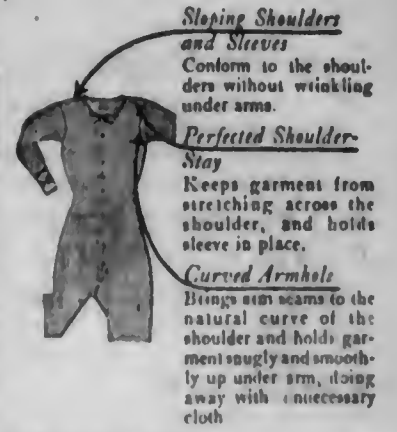
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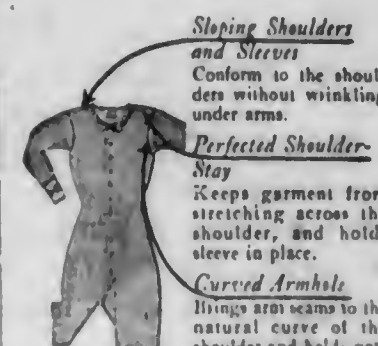
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News Snapshots Of the Week

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"SIX UNIVERSITY GIRLS" GOOD ENTERTAINERS.

Music lovers enjoyed a treat at the Crystal Theatre Monday evening with the opening number of the Crystal's lyceum entertainment course, presenting "Six University Girls," in readings, instrumental and vocal music. The young ladies composing the sextette are all finished musicians and rendered a delightful, varied program.

The entertainment merited a much larger house than was given but in the natural order of things, the remaining numbers will doubtless draw better crowds. This is about the first entertainment of the kind offered since the old opera house went out of commission, and it was refreshing in a measure to see again something behind the footlights other than "canned drama," or movie stuff.

CONTROL HESSIAN FLY.

Sow winter wheat after the Hessian fly has disappeared and save next year's crop from the ravages of the pest, says the Department of Agriculture expert. This advice may still be applied during the present month in the great wheat belt lying between the thirty-fifth and forty-first parallels of latitude. If the fly has been starved out by burying or disking all stubble and ruined wheat fields, and all volunteer wheat has been plowed under or otherwise destroyed, an infestation the following year may be prevented by sowing after the approximate fly-free date.

The Hessian fly of the second or fall generation is likely to infest all volunteer wheat sown before the fly-free date. "Flaxseed" of the second generation remain on the fall-sown wheat plants till the following April, when adults issue and produce young which begin another season of the second generation, emerge from the "flaxseed" stage from the middle of August to late October, according to latitude. The female fly does not live beyond five or six days, and thus it is that late sowing, after the flies have largely disappeared, is the most practical and effective method employed to control the pest.

Dolly Varden flour—\$6.50 per barrel or 85c a sack.—W. T. Griswold.

A. H. Cage, cashier of the Planters Bank of Clarksdale, Miss., was shot and killed in his home Sunday night by a burglar. The intruder warned the victim not to approach him but Mr. Cage ventured and was killed. This is the bank in which Syd. L. Dodds of this city is a director and is said to lead all banks in the United States in the matter of paying dividends. The dead cashier was popular throughout the South.

E. B. Walker, Jr., son of the late E. B. Walker, founder of the Clinton Gazette, has taken unto himself a wife. The bride was Miss Mary R. Ray, of Tampa, Fla. The wedding occurred at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. Carrie Morris, at Clinton, Saturday morning at 9 o'clock. Mr. Walker is a civil engineer and is at present connected with the Gazette, one of the best papers in this section. He is a fine young fellow, and the Courier extends hearty, good wishes to Mr. Walker and his bonnie bride.

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FREMONT NEWS.

Those on the sick list this week are Mrs. H. W. Vinson, Morris Hawkins and the infant baby of Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Stewart. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Covington, of Protomus, last week, a baby boy. Miss Jennie Green, of State Line, was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Joe Bell, Saturday.

Charlie Caldwell and family were in Union City Saturday. Mrs. Silas Jackson and children are spending several days with her mother, Mrs. Bill Williams, of near Woodland Mills.—P. S. Clark is remodeling his residence, Robert Campbell, of Union City, is the contractor. J. D. Kilham and wife, of Protomus, went to Union City Wednesday to see the show. Mrs. Will Covington is spending the week with relatives in Protomus. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clark were the Sunday guests of John Clark and family, of near Shepherd's school house.—Mrs. Albert Williams and children, of near Troy, were visitors at P. T. Williams Sunday.—Mrs. Caldwell and little son, T. W., spent Friday with Mrs. Dilla Howard, of

near Clayton.—Edward Marshall and Charlie Hawkins motored to Hickman Thursday night to see the big show.—Joe Green has returned home after spending a few days with his son, Robert Green, and family, in Lake County.—J. T. Vinson, wife and baby were guests of Dock Hawkins and family Sunday.

Skirts at bargain prices at Dobson's.

Phil Campbell was here from Tiptonville this week.

J. M. Ezell left this week for Hot Springs, Ark., to lead out his "chomatiz."

Mrs. B. A. Royall, of Villa Ridge, Ill., is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. F. S. Moore.

Groceries, feed stuff, fruits, confections, notions, tobacco, etc., at lowest prices at Grissom's new store.

J. G. West is away on a trip in the west, visiting Denver and other points. He will return about the first of the coming week.

NEW VETERINARY HAS LOCATED IN HICKMAN.

Dr. J. A. Mitchell, of Helena, Ark., late Deputy State Veterinarian, has located in Hickman in the practice of his profession. J. M. McNecke, his assistant in his state work in Arkansas, also comes with Dr. Mitchell and will locate here.

Dr. Mitchell is a young man, of pleasing address and comes to us with splendid letters of recommendation.

He will move his family here in the course of a month or two.

Blankets and comforts at comfortable prices. Dobson's.

E. C. Rice left for St. Louis Tuesday night to buy goods.

Mrs. Sue Tipton, of Tiptonville, is the guest of Hickman relatives.

WANTED: Plain sewing or quilting.—Mrs. Will Anderson, telephone RS3.

Cotton prices are getting higher, but we still sell groceries just a little cheaper than other stores.—W. T. Grissom.

County School Notes

By Miss Virginia Cullen
County Superintendent

Since our last report the friends in and around Fulton have made a nice addition to the prize list for the county school fair, Nov. 6. We hope to make this a big day for the school children and grown folks as well, and are glad to see so much interest manifested in all sections of the county.

A number of prizes have been donated for the school fair, Nov. 6th. Others wishing to contribute will please see Mrs. S. N. Sweeney or Mrs. Mary Barber. Any assistance will be much appreciated. The following contributions have been made. The list will be published later with any additions that may be made.

S. T. Roper \$.50
Gladys Benthal 1.00
S. N. Sweeney 5.00
Max Roper, mds.50
Peoples Bank 2.50
Helm & Helm 2.00
Hickman Bank & Trust Co. . 2.50
W. C. Johnson 2.50
D. P. Laskovitz, mds. 2.00
R. L. Bradley pr. of shoes
E. H. Prather, mds.50
O. C. Henry50
Dougherty & Aquino, in press-
ing 2.00
Public Service Co. 2.00
Hickman Tinning & Plumb-
ing Co. 1.00
Barrett & Ledford 2.00
Millet & Alexander, mds. . 1.00
Smith & Amberg, mds. . . . 5.00
Baltzer & Dodds, mds. . . . 5.00
Miss Mary Berendes, mds. . . .50
Mrs. Cass Ishell50
Arthur Townsend, mds. . . . 1.00
Hickman Drug Co., mds. . . . 1.00
Fetters Book store, mds. . . . 1.00
Boudurant Bros, mds. . . . 2.50
E. C. Rice 2.00
Sullivan Bros, shoes 3.00
St. Louis Furniture Co.

Rugs 2.00
J. A. Roper, mds. 1.00
Chas. Clark, mds. 1.00
G. M. Ross50
Flippin Bros25
J. G. Hamblet50
J. W. Jennings50
Turk Wilson, sack of D. V. Flour
Sude M. Natch, mds. 1.00
C. G. Schenker, mds. 5.00
Hickman Hdw. Co., mds. . . . 3.00
E. Bettersworth50
C. D. Moore, mds. 1.00
Mrs. Mary Barber50
Jno. R. Metcalfe 1.00
Miss Marie Quillen 1.00
Speer & Sexton, Courier for
one year 1.00
Farmers & Merchants Bank . 5.00
F. T. Handle 1.00
McFadden School Improvement
League 5.00
C. E. Rice 1.00
Houma Bros, misses shoes . 2.00
Stubblefield & Murphy, mds. 1.00
J. E. Royster 1.00
Lon Jones, mds. 1.00
Albert Smith 1.00
W. P. Feltz Hdw. Co.

scissors 1.00
Fulton Flour Feed Dealers
Mig. Co. 1.00
Joe Guerant 1.00
Kelley & Davis 2.00
Campbell & Callahan, knife . 1.00
Bennett Bros, toilet water . . 75
Franklin Dry Goods Co., boys
sweater 3.00
Franklin Dry Goods Co., girls
sweater 1.00
Paris Drug Co., 1 lb. box of
candy50
Powers & Willingham, whip . 75
A. M. Nugent 1.00
M. F. DeMeyer 1.00
Joe Wade 1.00
Passall Bros, box of sta-
tionery75
Variety Store Belle
Belly Browder50
A. Huddleston50
Chas. Huddleston50
Morris & Band, mds.50

The teachers association will meet at the new consolidated school Saturday, Oct. 16th, from nine until eleven o'clock. Visitors welcome.

Sylvan Shade has organized a School Improvement League with eighteen members. A good league is a help to any school and we predict that a greater interest in school matters will be awakened through the efforts of these members.

Several districts are adding to the libraries and others will do so later in the term.

Roper district is enjoying the new game of volleyball. Palestine and Fair View have just begun basket ball. We are glad to see the equipment for these games placed on the play grounds.

Tyler district has just purchased some good pictures for their school room.

Go to the Crystal tonight.

VISITING LADY DIES IN HICKMAN SUNDAY.

Mrs. Jane Lowery, of Mansfield, Tenn., recently called to Hickman to the bedside of her son, W. H. Lowery, age 19, who was typhoid fever, suffered an attack of the same disease a few days after her arrival, and after a week's illness, died Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Lowery was 45 years of age. The remains were shipped to the old home at Mansfield, Tuesday, for burial, accompanied by her other son, Henry Lowery. She was a widow.

The son, who is ill at Hickman and whom the mother came to attend, is improving and is thought to be out of danger.

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CHURCH NOTES OF WEST HICKMAN CHAPEL

Services were held Sunday morning at 10 o'clock and prayer service at 7 o'clock. The choir is now in preparation for the festival and will give a concert at the chapel on Friday night. All are invited to attend.

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I have even already suffered from indigestion and heartburn. You will enjoy reading the book. We will sell it for one year for only \$1.00. Moving Pictures every afternoon and night.—Crystal.

ROY BETTERS WORTH WILL MAKE ASSESSMENT.

Ray Bettersworth, son of E. Bettersworth, has been appointed by the city fathers to make the assessment of the city at Hickman for the present year. He will begin work about by block until the entire city is covered, and make his assessments without reference to the old books.

Whenever You Need a Good Tonic Take Tonic
The Old Standard Tonic, a Tonic for all ailments, is equally valuable as a General Tonic. It contains the well-known tonic ingredients: QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and builds up the Whole system. 50 cents.

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TALK OF NEW DEPOT FOR N. C. & ST. L. RY.

Supt. Perkins, of the N. C. & St. L. Ry., in conversation with Judge Towell a few days ago in regard to a new depot for Hickman, talked very favorably in regard to this improvement. He also added that he would recommend such a step. The company has reached a point where it will be necessary for them to spend a considerable sum in necessary improvements on the old building or put the same money into a new one. Contemplating a new structure, as the company has, and we understand have gone so far as to make blue prints of plans and specifications—it would certainly be the part of wisdom to do now what they must do later and save additional expense on making repairs. The present depot is poorly arranged—in fact, built for a box factory and not a depot and white people are invariably forced to pass a crowd of negroes, also the negro waiting room in order to get to the ticket office. A new depot would be welcome.

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Are you bilious, dizzy or listless? Dr. King's New Life Pills taken at once seize upon constipation and starts the bowels moving naturally and easily. Moreover, it acts without griping. Neglect of a clogged system often leads to most serious complications. Poisonous matters and a body poorly functioning need immediate attention. If you wish to wake up to morrow morning happy in mind and entirely satisfied, start your treatment tonight. 25c a bottle. Advt.

Mrs. C. P. Smith, of Argenta, Ark., arrived Saturday to visit her mother, Mrs. M. E. Henry.

O. Norton and wife, of Fulton, are guests of their daughter, Mrs. W. P. Skinner.

Jack Frost made his presence felt right sharply in this section Friday night.

Second hand furniture bought and sold.—Stark & Co.

Cotton is King.

CITY TICKET NAMED; PETITIONS ARE FILED.

Tuesday was the last day for filing petitions for names to be placed on the official ballot for councilmen of the City of Hickman. A petition, properly drawn and heavily endorsed, was filed, we understand, with County Clerk Roper, with the following names thereon:

A. C. Garthner
H. C. Stonecipher
Ernest Johnson
W. T. Grissom
H. C. Helm
D. P. Lebowitz.

It would be hard to pick six better fellows for this place; they are all well qualified, representative, business men, who have the interest of Hickman heart. We notice that the mayor and most of the old councilmen headed the list on the petition. As the old councilmen all objected to reelection, and no other ticket was filed, the new ticket should "win in a walk."

On the city ticket will also appear the proposition of voting on a small bond issue for the purpose of purchasing some badly needed fire fighting apparatus. From what we can learn, there will be some objection to this issue, but before we vote on it will mean an increase in insurance rates almost equivalent to the amount of bonds asked for. In fact, the insurance companies are merely waiting to see what we do about this matter before making an announcement that will cause people who carry fire insurance to sit up and take notice. Several have already pulled out on account of a lack of fire protection; and many others will go if the issue is defeated. If any remain, they will do so on an advanced rate, ranging from 10 to 20 per cent, which has been calculated by local agents to be equal to what the fire motor truck would cost. From a business point of view, it seems that it would be good business to take the bonds, at least, it would be well to give the matter serious consideration before making up our minds to vote against it. The amount asked, we believe, is \$7,500.

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John Weatherly, Hickman says: "I was a victim of kidney complaint. I had to get up many times during the night to pass the kidney secretions and was all tired out in the morning. I doctored and tried a lot of remedies, but to no avail. Finally, Doan's Kidney Pills came to my attention and I got a supply at Helm & Ellison's Drug Store. They made my kidneys normal and improved my condition in every way." (Statement given April 15 1905.)

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COTTON SUPPLY SHORT.

Representative Heflin, of Alabama, says he predicts that the south's cotton crop this year would not be more than 10,000,000 bales, and that the price reaches 15 cents before Christmas. owing to short crops in India, Egypt and Russia. Mr. Heflin said, and the demand for cotton for war purposes, the supply would nearly be 6,000,000 bales short of the demand.

Rufus Wilamuth, son of A. F. Wilamuth, died at the home of his father near Oakton, Ky., on Wednesday, Oct. 6th, of cancer of the kidney.

Cotton prices are getting higher, but we still sell groceries just a little cheaper than other stores.—W. T. Grissom.

Dr. John Mahan, of Moscow, has been elected county physician for Hickman county at a salary of \$500 a year.

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\$33,000 FOR COTTON PAID OUT SATURDAY.

Saturday was a banner day for the cotton business in Hickman. It is estimated somewhat in excess of \$33,000 was paid out by local buyers for cotton that came here from a radius of 25 miles around.

The gins were kept unusually busy, running to full capacity from early morning until far into the night. Even then some wagons did not get unloaded at all that day, although gin warehouses were filled and many loads tossed out by hand. The river front, at the Lee Line landing, before the boat came, looked the part of a sure cotton market, with hundreds of bales awaiting shipment.

Incidentally, the activity in the local cotton market had a beneficial effect upon trade conditions; the "butcher and baker and candle stick maker" experienced the best business of the season, with a general picking up in all lines.

Prices—in the seed ranged Saturday from \$5.25 to \$5.75, the latter figure being paid for the best grades of staple.

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I, or one of my deputies, will visit the following places, on given dates, to receive 1915 state, county and school taxes. If you desire to avoid costs meet us there and get receipt. Cotton and corn are bringing good prices now and you must meet us at

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Cayce, Monday, Oct. 18, all day.

Yours Truly,
Bailey Huddleston,
Sheriff and Tax Collector.

Paff Hawkins has accepted a position as engineer with the State Highway Department, with headquarters, temporarily at Paducah. Mr. Hawkins was formerly highway engineer for this county.

W. C. McMillan went to Tip-topville first of the week to do a job of surveying for E. A. Markham.

Go to the Crystal tonight.

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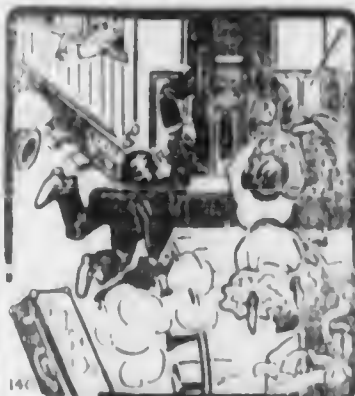
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A FOOL AND HIS MONEY

By
GEORGE BARR
M'CUTCHEON,
Author of "Graustark,"
"Trustee King," Etc.

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SYNOPSIS.

John Bellamy Smart, unmarried and heir to a fortune, while abroad with his secretary, Pospendyke, and his valet, Britton, buys a dilapidated old castle on the Danube, in care of the Schmicks, and discovers a mysterious woman inhabiting one of the towers.

Smart fails to batter down a huge door leading to the east wing in search of the fair lady. He interrupts a visit of American relic hunters.

Their amusing attempts to buy some of the castle's ancient furniture result in their discomfiture and hurried departure. Smart catches a glimpse of his fair neighbor's waving hair.

Another visit to the mysterious east wing fails, but later the beautiful stranger strikes up an acquaintance with the new owner through a secret loophole.

She agrees to entertain him at tea. Meanwhile he learns the history of the old castle from the Schmicks and receives a visit from a crowd of tourists.

Refusing to be put off by the fair chameleon's plea of a headache, Smart battles down the doors to the maiden's apartments, where a surprise awaits him.

He learns she is a rich American girl, divorced from her nobleman husband, and is in hiding, having kidnapped her own baby.

The Hazzards, friends of Smart, visit the castle, bringing with them the countess' husband, masquerading as Mr. Pless. Smart learns the villain's identity.

CHAPTER X.

I Receive Visitors.

THE east wing of the castle was as still as a mouse on the day my house party arrived. Grim old doors took on new padlocks, keyholes were carefully stopped up, creaking floors were calked, and yet I trembled. My secret seemed to be safely planted, but what would the harvest be?

Elise Hazzard presented me to her friends, and with lordly generosity I presented the castle to them.

There was a Russian baron whom for brevity's sake I'll call Umovitch. There was a Viennese gentleman of twenty-six or eight, I heard, but who looked forty. His name was Pless. He was a plain master. The more I saw of him the first afternoon the more I wondered at George Hazzard's carelessness. Then there were two very bright and charming Americans, the Billy Smiths. He was connected with the American embassy at Vienna, and I liked him from the start. The baron was in the Russian embassy and was really a very nice boy.

"And this Mr. Pless, who is he?" I asked.

Elise was looking at the rakish young man with a plying expression in her tender blue eyes.

"Poor fellow," she sighed. "He is in great trouble. John and I hoped that if we got him off here where it is quiet he might be able to forget. Oh, but I am not supposed to tell you a word of the story! We are all sworn to secrecy."

"Women," said Billy impressively. "Then it's really patched," said I. "Like enree like."

"You don't understand, John," said Elise gravely. "He was married to a beautiful—"

"Now, Elise, you're telling," cautioned Betty Billy—Mrs. Billy Smith.

"Well," said Elise doggedly, "I'm determined to tell this much. His name isn't Pless. His wife got a divorce from him, and now she has taken their child and run off with it, and they can't find what the matter?"

My eyes were almost popping from my head.

"Is he a count?" I cried, so loudly that they all said "Sh!" and shot apprehensive glances toward the pseudo Mr. Pless.

"Goodness!" said Elise in alarm. "Don't shout, John."

Billy Smith regarded me speculatively. "I daresay Mr. Smart has read all about the affair in the newspapers."

"I haven't seen anything about it in the papers," said I, trying to recover my self-possession which had sustained a most tremendous shock.

"Thank heaven!" cried Elise devoutly.

"The poor fellow is almost distracted," Billy, Mr. Smart, we planned this little visit here simply in order to—

to take him out of himself for awhile. It has been such a tragedy for him. He worshiped the child. It was Mrs. Billy who spoke.

"And the mother made way with him?" I queried, resorting to a suddenly acquired cunning.



"Poor fellow!" she sighed.

"It is a girl," said Elise in a loud whisper. "The loveliest girl. The mother appeared in Vienna about three weeks or a month ago and—whiff!—off goes the child. Abducted! Kidnapped! And the court had granted him the custody of the child. That's what makes it so terrible. If she is caught anywhere in Europe—well, I don't know what may happen to her. It is just silly news as this that make American girls the laughingstocks of the whole world."

By this time I had myself pretty well to hand.

"I daresay the mother loved the child, which ought to condone one among her multitude of sins. I take it, of course, that she was entirely to blame for everything that happened."

"They at once proceeded to tear the poor little mother to shreds, delicately and with finesse, to be sure, but none the less completely."

"What was her social standing in New York?" I inquired.

"Oh, good enough," said Betty Billy. "She was in the smartest set. If that is a recommendation."

To my disgust the three of them refused to enlighten me further as to the history, identity or character of either Mr. or Mrs. Pless, but of course I knew that I was entertaining under my roof by the most extraordinary coincidence the count and countess of something or other, who were at war, and the child they were fighting for.

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"What time do we dine?" asked Mr. Pless later, with a suppressed yawn.

"At 8," said Elise promptly.

"I think I'll take a nap," said he. With a languid smile and a little flutter of his hand as if dismissing us, he moved languidly off, but stopped after a few steps to say to me, "We'll explore the castle tomorrow, Mr. Smart. It's just the same to you. He spoke with a very slight accent and in a peculiarly attractive manner. There was charm in the man, I was bound to admit. I know Schloss Rothsofen very well. It is an old stamping ground of mine."

"Indeed!" said I, affecting surprise. "I spent a very joyous season here not so many years ago. Holendahl is a bosom friend."

I was eager to steal away to the east wing with the news, so somewhat later I knocked at the countess' door. I realized that it was a most unseemly hour for calling on a young, beautiful and unprotected lady, but the exigencies of the moment lent moral support to my invasion.

The countess' French maid peered out at me.

"Tell your mistress that I must see her at once."

"Madame is not at home, tu'steur," said the young woman.

"Not at home?" I gasped. "Where is she?"

"Madame has gone to bed."

"Oh!" I said blinking. "Then she is at home. Present my compliments and ask her to get up. Something very extraordinary has happened."

"Madame has requested me to inform tu'steur that she knows the count is here and will you be so good as to call tomorrow morning."

"What?" She knows he's here? Who brought the information?"

"The beautiful Max, tu'steur. He brings it with deference, again with dinner and but now with the hot water, tu'steur."

"Oh, I see," said I profoundly. "In that case I—shan't disturb her."

Very stillly and ceremoniously I advised caution for the next twelve hours and left.

Now it may occur to you that any self-respecting gentleman in possession of a castle and a grain of common sense would have set about to find out the true names of the guests beneath his roof. But it so happens that I rather enjoyed the mystery. The attention was unique, the comedy most exhilarating. Of course there was a traceable to the whole matter but, now that I was in for it, why minimize the novelty by adopting arbitrary measures? Somewhat gleefully I decided that it would be good fun to keep myself in the dark as long as possible.

When I reached the room where my guests were assembled I found Mr. Pless and the Baron Umovitch engaged in an acrimonious dispute over a question of bridge etiquette. The former had resented a sharp criticism coming from the latter and they were waging a verbal battle in what I took to be five or six different tongues, none of which appeared to bear the slightest relationship to the English language. Suddenly Mr. Pless threw his cards down and left the table without a word of apology to the two ladies, who looked more hurt than appalled.

He said he was going to bed, but I noticed that he took himself off in the direction of the moonlit loggia. We were still discussing his defection in subdued tones with the exception of the late baron—when he re-entered the room.

"Are there real spirits in your castle, Mr. Smart, or have you flesh and blood mediums here who roam about in white night dresses to study the moans of the moon from the dullest corners?"

I started. What indiscretion had the countess been up to?

"I don't quite understand you, Mr. Pless," I said, with a politely blank stare.

"My dear countess," said I the next morning, "while I am willing to admit that all you say is true, there still remains the unhappy fact that you were very near to upsetting everything last night. Mr. Pless saw you quite plainly. The moon was very bright, you'll remember. Fortunately he was too far away from your window to recognize you. Think how easy it might be!"

"But I've told you twice that I held my hand over Pless's nose, and he just couldn't look, Mr. Smart. You are really most unreasonable about it. The dog had to have a breath of fresh air."

"Why not send him up to the top of the tower and let him run around on the roof?"

"Oh, there's no use talking about it any longer," she said wearily. "It is all over, and no real harm was done. I am awfully sorry if they made it uncomfortable for you."

"And now will you be good enough to tell me who I am?" she asked after a few minutes. "That is, who am I supposed to be?"

"Oh," said I honestly, "you are really nobody! You are Britton's wife."

"What! Does Britton know it?"

"Yes," said I, with a wry smile. "He took a mean advantage of me in the presence of George Hazzard not an hour ago and asked for a raise in wages on account of his wife's illness. It seems that you are an invalid."

"I hope he hasn't forgotten the baby in his enthusiasm."

"He hasn't, you may be sure. He has named the baby after me."

"How original!"

"I thought it rather clever to change Rosemary's sex for a few days," said I.

"And now tell me all about Mr. Pless," she said. "How is he looking? Does he appear to be unhappy? There was a curious note in her voice, as of anxiety or eagerness, it was hard to tell which."

"He appears to be somewhat sentimental and preoccupied. He gazes at the moon and bites his nails."

"I—I wish I could have a peep at him some time without being!"

"For heaven's sake, don't even consider such a thing!" I cried in alarm. "Just a little peek, Mr. Smart," she pleaded.

"No," said I firmly.

"Very well," she said resignedly, fixing me with hurt eyes. "I'm sorry to be such a bother to you."

"I believe you'll go back to him after all," I said angrily. "Women are all alike. They—"

"Just because I want to see how unhappy he is and enjoy myself a little you say horrid things to me!" she cried almost pathetically. "You treat me very badly."

"There is a great deal at stake," said I. "The peril is—well, it's enormous. I am having my own time bending off a scheme they've got for exploring the entire castle. Your husband's ex-husband says he knows of a secret door opening into this part of the—"

CHAPTER XI.

I Resort to Diplomacy.

THE countess sprang to her feet with a sharp cry of alarm.

"Heaven's! I—I forgot about that! There is a secret panel, and— heaven save us!—it opens directly into my bedroom!" Her eyes were very wide and full of consternation. She gripped my arm. "Come! Be quick! We must pile something against it or nail it up or do something!"

She fairly dragged me out into the corridor and then, picking up her dainty skirts, pattered down the rickety stairs at so swift a pace that I had some difficulty to keeping her plump figure in sight. Why is it that a woman can go downstairs so much faster than a man? I've never been able to explain it.

At last we came to the broad hall at the top of the main staircase. Almost directly in front of us loomed the great palooked doors leading to the other wing. Passing them like the wind, she led the way to the farthest end of the hall. Light from the big paneless windows overlooking the river came streaming into the vast corridor, and I could see doors ahead to the right and the left of us.

"Your bedroom?" I managed to gasp, uttering a belated question that should have been asked five or six flights higher up at a time when I was better qualified to voice it. "What the dickens is it doing down here?"

She did not reply, but, turning to the left, she—open a door and disappeared into the room beyond. I followed ruthlessly, but stopped just over the threshold to catch my breath in astonishment.

I was in "my lady's beshchamber." The immense Gothic bed stood on its dais, imposing in its isolation. Three or four very modern innovation trunks loomed like minarets against the opposite walls half open. Some of my most precious rings adorned the floor, but the windows were absolutely undraped.

"Don't stand there gaping!" she cried in a shrill whisper. "This is the mirror, the middle one. It opens by means of a spring. There is a small hole in the wall behind it, and then there is still another secret door beyond that, a thick iron one with the sixth Baron Rothsofen's portrait on the outer side of it. The curtains swing open. We must—"

I was beginning to get my bearings.

"The sixth baron? Old Ludwig the Red?"

"The very one."

"Then by Jove he is in my study! You don't mean to say—"

"Please don't stop to talk!" she cried impatiently, looking about in a distracted manner. "But for goodness sake get something to put against this mirror!"

My mind worked rapidly. The only object in the room heavy enough to serve as a barricade was the bed, and it was too heavy for me to move. I



I Put My Shoulder to the Huge Creaky Bed and Shoved.

feared. I suggested it, of course, involuntarily lowering my voice to a

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A FOOL AND HIS MONEY.

"Perhaps I'd better run out and get Max and the..."
"If my law, if Mr. Pless should open that door from the other side, Mr. Smart, it will be very interesting for you and me..."
"I put my shoulder to the huge creaky door and shoved. There were no creaks. It did not budge. The creaks asserted me by putting the tips of her small fingers against one end of it and pushing. It was not what one would call a thoughtless effort on her part, but it served to make me even more to the utmost."

"Don't do that," I protested. "I can manage it alone, thank you."
I secured a steady grip on the bottom of the door and heaved manfully. "You ought to let me help," she cried, hands clasped in a plea with both hands.

The last moved. By means of great straining I got the heavy thing over against the corner. One of the legs was hopelessly entangled in the drop from the nearest platform.

"There," she said, standing off to survey our joint achievement. "We've dropped it up very nicely." She remained the tips of her fingers daintily. "The afternoon you may fetch up a hammer and some nails and fasten the outer partition." Then you can move the bed back to its proper place. Goodness. What a precious squeak!"

"Mother," said I, my hand on my heart, but not through indignity, "that bed stays where it is. Not all the kings in the world can get it out of here."

"Was it so heavy, Mr. Smart?"
I looked very hard. A prophetic creak already had played itself in my back. "Will you forgive me if I sub and that you sleep quite a distance from home?" I remarked with just a little more. "Why the deuce don't you stay on the upper floor?"

"Because I am mortally afraid," she said, with a little shudder. "You've no idea how lonely, how spooky it is up there at the dead hour of night. I couldn't sleep. After the third night I had my things moved down here, where I could at least feel that there were strong men within—you might say arm's length of me. I'm—I'm shockingly timid."

She smiled, a wavering, pleading little smile that conquered.
"Of course I don't mind, countless." I hastened to say. "Only I thought it would be easier up there with Rosemary and the two maids for company."

She looked a little closer to me. "We all sleep down here," she said confidently. "We bring Rosemary's little mattress down every night and put it in the tin bathtub. It is a very good fit and makes quite a nice cradle for her. Helene and Blanche sleep just across the hall, and we leave the doors wide open. So, you see, we're not one bit afraid."

"But," said I judicially. "And so my mother is just beyond this inferno, and I imagine how you happen to be that I have my study there?"
"Yes, I picked in the other day," she said.

"I thought you did!"
"I was going to say that you were out," she said. "I picked in the other day," she said.

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go to rest. They are hanging down in some places and are badly cracked in others. I've been waiting about them ever since I came into possession. For instance, that Mirtho in the center. It must be preserved."

He gave me another queer look, and I congratulated myself on the success of my strategy. He took it all in. The mocking light died out in his eyes, and he became intensely interested in my heaven sent project.

For fifteen or twenty minutes we discussed the dilapidated treasures and he gave me the soundest sort of advice, based on a knowledge and experience that surprised me more than a little. He was thoroughly up in matters of art.

I looked at my watch. Assuming a careless manner, I remarked: "Come along." I started off in the direction of the lower regions. He followed. I answered with such success that ultimately he took the lead. I hadn't the remotest idea how to get to the confounded dungeons.

At last there came a day of deliverance. The guests were departing, and I can truthfully say that I was spelling time.

Miss Hazard took me off to a remote corner, where a little later on Betty Willy and the two husbands found us.

"John, will you ever forgive me?" she said very solemnly. "I want to tell you I hadn't the faintest idea what it was."

"Please, please, Elsie," I broke in warmly, "don't abuse yourself in my presence. I fully understand everything—at least, nearly everything. What I can't understand, for the life of me, is this: How did you happen to pick up two such consummate bonders as these fellows are?"

"Ah, John," said she, shaking her head. "A woman never knows much about a man until she has lived a week in the same house with him. Now you are a perfect angel."

"You've always said that," said I. "You did not have to live in the same house with me to find it out, did you?"

She ignored the question. "I shall never, never forgive myself for this awful week, John. We've talked it all over among ourselves. We're ashamed—oh, so terribly ashamed. If you can ever like us again after—"

"Like you?" I cried, taking her by the shoulders. "Why, Elsie Hazard, I have never liked you and George but so much as I like you now. You two are perfect angels."

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I said it with a great deal of feeling. The tears rushed into her eyes.
"You are a dear, John," she sighed.
"You'll come?"
"In a minute," said she with vehemence, a genuine American girl once more.
"Just as soon as these pesky workmen are out of the place I'll drop you a line," said I, immensurably excited.
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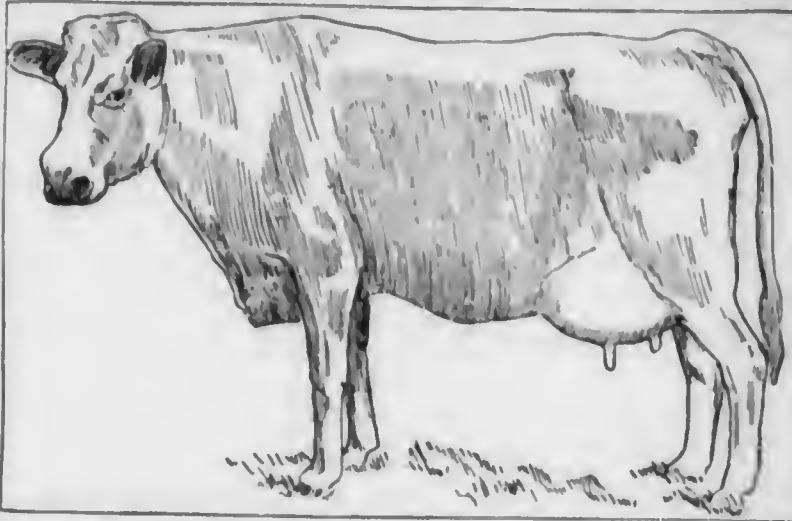
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STARTING AND BUILDING UP DAIRY HERD



Double Time—Production at Nine Years Two Months Old, During Seven Days, 20.59 pounds of Butter Fat—Next to Highest Authenticated Jersey Record for This Time.

With the average farmer the cheapest and most satisfactory way of starting a dairy herd is to select as foundation stock good grade cows and a pure-bred bull of one of the strictly dairy breeds. The grading up will be most rapid when the predominant blood in the grades corresponds with the blood of the sire.

A foundation of this kind, of course, does not produce stock that can be registered, but by continuing the use of good, pure-bred bulls of the same blood, stock is soon obtained which, so far as milk and butter production are concerned, very closely approaches in value that of pure breeding.

To start with a pure-bred herd is practically beyond the means of the majority of farmers. Furthermore, there is an objection to placing well-bred, pure-bred cows under average conditions as to feed, care and management, because under any such change the attainment of satisfactory results would be practically impossible. Where there is a gradual infusion of pure blood, as in the case of grading up a herd with pure-bred sires, the new blood is gradually accustomed to the change of environment and the herdsman is given the necessary time to change his methods to meet the requirements of pure-bred cattle.

Where the dairyman understands the management of pure-bred stock and has the means with which to purchase the right kind, a pure-bred herd may be started to good advantage.

One of the chief dangers in starting with a pure-bred herd is the lack of funds to procure the right sort of animals. Instead of purchasing a pure-bred bull and a number of pure-bred cows of common merit, it is better policy to buy relatively cheap grade cows, and to add the money thus saved to that originally set aside for the bull. This extra money is likely to be the means of securing a bull of outstanding merit.

Whether the cows be grades or pure-breds, it is of the highest importance in building up a dairy herd to secure a pure-bred bull of real merit. Unless the bull is descended from good milkers, it is folly to expect him to produce good milkers, no matter how fine or ideal he may be as an individual.

It is, furthermore, of importance to remember that a herd cannot be successfully built up unless the bulls that are successively used belong to the same breed. If the grading up is begun with a Jersey bull the process must be continued uninterruptedly by the use of Jersey blood.

The importance of the dairy sire is recognized in the expression: "The bull is half the herd." Usually, however, the bull is more than half the herd, either for good or bad. In the case of common or grade cows, for example, the pure-bred bull may count for three-quarters or more of the herd by reason of his greater prepotency. To so great an extent does the bull determine the improvement or deterioration of the herd as to call for the utmost caution in his selection.

In the case of a dairy bull, especially a young bull, his chief value is determined by the performance of his ancestry. The points of greatest importance to consider in his pedigree are the following: (1) The merit of his mother and his sire's mother. (2) The merit of the daughters of his sire and grand sire. (3) The value of the daughters of his dam and his grand dam. (4) The value of his sisters, if he has any, and (5) the value of his own progeny, if he has any. The further back consecutively good records can be traced the more valuable the animal. It should always be remembered, however, that near ancestors count for a good deal more than those more remotely related.

With a first class bull at the head of the herd, rapid improvement is effected by selecting and retaining calves from only the best milkers, at the same time culling out those cows whose records have not been satisfactory. This work cannot be done to best advantage unless records are kept of the quantity and quality of milk from each cow for a whole lactation period.

Where all of the cows in the foundation stock are grades, none of the calves, of course, can be registered. It is desirable, therefore, to add to the herd from time to time, as means permit, some good pure-bred cows of the same blood as the bulls that have been used. This has the advantage of enabling the owner to dispose of his calves to better advantage.

The purchase of cows, however, is always attended with the danger of introducing contagious diseases into the herd. For this reason, the pur-

chasing of cows should be carried on in a limited way only. It is, of course, always in order to buy cows when the object is to add to the herd pure-bred individuals of exceptional dairy merit. But the practice of buying cows should never be carried to the point of making it the principal means of replenishing the herd, especially since the latter can be accomplished much more satisfactorily by raising the calves from the best cows.

TURNING CATTLE ON CLOVER

Preventive Measures Are Always Best in Warding Off Bloat—Make Change in Feed Gradually.

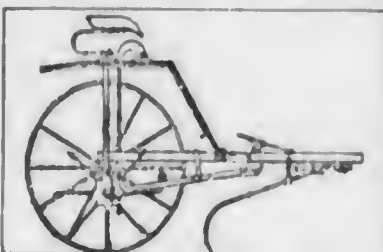
When cattle consume large quantities of green which they have not been accustomed to it rapidly ferments in the stomach, and the gas there produced causes distention of this large stomach on the left side of the animal, with the characteristic appearance and general train of symptoms familiar to most cattle owners.

Preventive measures always give the most satisfactory results in warding off this condition. Sudden changes of feed are risky at all times, but more so, perhaps, in this trouble than in some others. When first turning cattle on clover it should be done gradually until the digestive organs become accustomed to the change; and the safest way is not to permit them to eat this succulent feed for longer than 20 minutes to half an hour the first day, and increase the length of the period each day afterwards until it seems to have lost its bloating effect. It is safer, also, not to turn the cattle on to this pasture until the dew or frost has gone off it. Another method is to allow the cattle some dry feed, such as hay, etc., before turning them on the clover, which tends to prevent fermentation of so much of the green feed. After a short while, when the stomach has accommodated itself to the change from the dry to the succulent feed, the animals may consume large quantities of the latter without apparent inconvenience.

CORN-COTTON STALK CUTTER

Machines Have Been in Use for Years in This Country, Though Their Use Has Been Limited

Some farmers plow under the stalks after they have been broken down by a harrow or a drag. Others prefer to cut, pile and burn them, especially



Corn or Cotton Stalk Cutter.

where insects are bad. Stalk cutters have been in use for years in this country, though their use has been limited because of the large acreage put into crop in the short space of time available. The cylinder on which the blades are mounted is lowered into contact with the ground when the machine is pulled into a stalk field, rolling along as the cutter is pulled. The stalks are straightened by a guide rod that drags on both sides of the row ahead of the cutting cylinder so that practically every stalk is cut into even lengths and easily put under ground when plowed.—The Farming Business.

CUT SUDAN GRASS FOR SEED

Use Ordinary Binder and Shock Grass Like Wheat, Until It Cures Well—Stock Relish Straw.

(By M. A. HERRON, Oklahoma Experiment Station.)

When cutting sudan grass for seed, wait until the seed are very well matured, then cut with an ordinary binder and shock grass like wheat, until it cures well. Then it may be threshed with a regular grain threshing machine and the straw may be used for hay. Of course the straw does not make as good hay as it would if the crop was cut earlier. Still it is worth saving and stock should eat it very readily.

Bees Are Essential.

To fruit growing, bees are practically essential, because of the aid they give in pollination. This is the case particularly with the apple.

SPECIAL PRICES ON

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All New and Latest Modes

SUITS, - - \$5.00, \$7.50, \$10.00, \$12.50 to \$25.00

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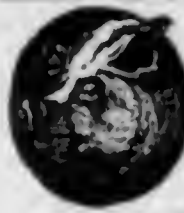
You can save 50c to \$1.00 on every pair you buy. Now is the time to come in and get your Fall and Winter Shoes for the whole family.

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Our stock of staple goods are very large, especially cotton goods bought before the prices went up, therefore we can give you better values for less money.

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It destroys disease germs, regularizes the bowels, aids digestion and cures hogs in fifteen minutes. Use 1 in the feed and drink and your hogs will never have cholera. Costs only 1 cent a month for each hog. Don't wait until they get sick. Begin giving your hogs this medicine now and keep them free from worms and disease. At All Drug Stores.

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Sold in HICKMAN by COWGILL'S DRUG STORE.

BULGARIA IN WAR; GREECE IS NEUTRAL.

In last week's paper it stated that Bulgaria had decided to pass Bulgaria and the war on the side of the Allies. Bulgaria had been neutral since the war broke out. Bulgaria had been neutral since the war broke out. Bulgaria had been neutral since the war broke out.

As long as the Balkan States are known of the Balkan States that it is hard to estimate the full effect of the entrance into the war, even granting that their alignment can be forecasted correctly. But their entrance will put a face upon the great conflict undoubted. Germany has raised hope of success, and the Allies are, apparently on the anxious bench.

NEW BRICK BUILDING.

W. S. Swift, the contractor, has torn down his old brick building, opposite the Kimbrough concrete stable, and is putting material on the ground for a new brick business house to be erected on the same corner. It will be 25x40 feet, with corner entrance and of course, a credit to the block. Mr. Swift will occupy the new building with his contracting every business.

Invigorating to the Pale and Sickly
The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, GROVER'S TARTLELESS CHILL TONIC, does not. Malais, enriches the blood, and builds up the system. A true tonic. For adults and children.

It is said there are, at a conservative calculation, no less than 100 automobiles in Fulton county, costing on an average of \$700 each. This means \$70,000 good American dollars tied up in these traveling machines. The good old days of carriages and surreys seem to be nearing an end. One of Hickman's big buggy dealers sees the "hand writing on the wall," and has already added a line of automobiles to his general stock. Verily, the world do progress.

Go to the Crystal tonight.

BIG CAR COTTON SEED GOES TO MEMPHIS.

The biggest carload of cotton seed ever received in Memphis was shipped from Hickman Saturday, by Syd L. Dodds, to the De Soto Oil Co., bought by their representative, Hugh Ed. Carlin. There were 9,000 pounds in the car that sold for \$344.16. Mr. Carlin also bought at Hickman 200 tons of seed for his mill he sells the big car.

Even the tiny little cotton seed is not to be sneezed at this season.

Porter Charlton, a young American who killed his wife, a woman twice his age, at Como, Italy, five years ago, is to go on trial this week. The impression is that he will be acquitted or get a light sentence.

FOR SALE: Three choice lots in Henry Addition. Two of them joint. Size lot 30x150 feet. — The Courier.

Barksdale Hammett has stated that he would be a candidate for governor in 1919.

County court is in session at Fulton. The docket is unusually light.

No vacant houses.

THE TAX AMENDMENT.

The State Tax League assures us that the vote on the tax amendment at the November election will decide Kentucky's destiny for another decade. "If we fail now at least five years must elapse before it can be voted on again and five years more before any national legislation may be expected." Certainly Kentucky ought not to go to another ten years without a radical revision of its revenue system. To assure re-echo for every voter support the Tax Amendment. Its adoption is necessary to State progress. Fulton county voters should keep this in mind when they go to the polls on Nov. 2nd.

According to the Clinton Gazette, John R. McKinney made an assignment Friday for the benefit of his creditors. He has long been a popular business man at Clinton.

Good building lot in West Hickman for sale on easy terms. Apply at this office.

C. T. Bondurant has a handsome new Cadillac car of the latest model.

Dolly Varden flour—\$5.50 per barrel or \$5c a sack.—W. T. Grissom.

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WINDS of misfortune generally blow upon EVERYBODY sooner or later in life. If you are prepared to meet trouble by having a **GOOD BANK BALANCE** you can weather any GALE. A bank book is the **SUREST** protection against the tempest of ill luck. If you are not a depositor here start **AT ONCE**. We are the financial weather vane of hundreds of **SATISFIED PERSONS**. Prepare **NOW** for the storm that is **SURE** to come.

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TWO CASES TYPHOID.

Two trained nurses arrived here Sunday to attend Miss Mary Trumpa Burnett, daughter of R. R. Burnett, and little Miss Isadora Amberg, daughter of H. L. Amberg, both of whom have typhoid fever.

Marriage licenses issued in Obion county last week: Willie Bidwell and Bessie Cammery, Guy Wallace and Lizzie Miller, Fred Kelley and Maxey Seat, J. D. Denton and Carrie Fields, Casey Yates and Christine Hubbs, W. E. Hastings and Lila Foster, Guy Call and Bessie Erwin.

Austin Voorhees and Dr. Lou Naylor leave next Tuesday for Louisville to attend the Music Grand Lodge. The former represents the Hickman "Blue" lodge and the latter the Chapter.

INFANT JEFFRESS DEAD.

The little two year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jeffress, residing in the vicinity of No. 2 Lake, died Sunday, after a long illness of malarial fever. The remains were taken to Troy, Tenn., the old home of the family, for burial.

Piles Cured In 6 to 14 Days

Your druggist will refund money if PAXO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of hemorrhoids, bleeding, protruding piles in 14 days. The first application gives ease and rest. 50c.

Mrs. Kate Stovall, widow of the late Hart Stovall, died at Jackson, Tenn., Wednesday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Stovall were formerly citizens of Fulton county, he being in the milling business at Fulton for a number of years. Deceased was a sister of Mrs. Maggie Randle, of this city, and Mrs. Robt. Mitchell, of near Fulton.

BIG W. I. SWAIN SHOW CO. HEADED THIS WAY.

The tens and hundreds of thousands of enthusiastic patrons who form the clientele of the W. I. Swain Show Co. throughout the length and breadth of the land have universally conceded to this well conducted organization the flattering sobriquet "The monarch of them all." To the practical sense of those familiar with popular forms of amusement it is not a question of deep contemplation why this organization has met with success.

Quoting a criticism printed in the Alexandria, La., "Town-Talk" of a recent date, the writer, after a careful review of the performance of the night before, gives, as his opinion, the following reasons why the W. I. Swain Shows are so popular:

"From the time the orchestra is 'rung in,' until the final drop of the curtain there is not a moment when something of interest is not transpiring. An orchestra of ten pieces enlivens the interest between the acts and short addresses are given opportunely by Mr. W. I. Swain relative to the current bill and those to be seen during the rest of the engagement. Mr. Swain, in his initial remarks last night, disclosed any desire to class his attraction with those charging \$1.50 for seats, but he has been told many times that his shows give his patrons equal enjoyment. The performances are thoroughly clean, free from suggestions or innuendo and appeal strongly to family patronage. The good order maintained during the Swain Shows is a striking evidence of their compelling interest."

The W. I. Swain Shows, with their big electrical equipment, solo band and orchestra and repertoire of new royalty dramatic successes, will be in Hickman for one solid week, commencing Monday, Oct. 18th. The performances are given in the largest tent ever constructed for a similar purpose, which is treated with the new discovery, "Kant Leek," thus eliminating any chance of unpleasant results from the caprices of the weather.

COUGHS THAT ARE STOPPED.

Careful people see that they are stopped. Dr. King's New Discovery is a remedy of tried merit. It has held its own on the market for 40 years. Youth and old age testify to its soothing and healing qualities. Pneumonia and lung troubles are often caused by delay of treatment. Dr. King's New Discovery stops those hacking coughs and relieves the gripe tendencies. Money back if it fails. 50c and \$1.00. Advt.

SHOULD BE ELECTED?

A nominee for State office, from whom we have been trying to collect an announcement fee, has written us a letter in which he repudiates the bill. Another reason why the country editor should tear his clothes trying to help some would-be statesman to a place of honor and trust. The jail is really a better place for men of his stripe. Hopkinsville, Kyntuckian.

We have one or two on our list of a like nature. While they have not repudiated the debt, they have refused to pay, and we expect to let the people know who they are in a very short time. Carlisle Co. News.

Must be a set of —rasels. The Courier is having the same experience as our contemporaries.

To Drive Out Malaria And Build Up The System
Take the Old Standard GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC. You know what you are taking, as the formula is printed on every label, showing it is Quinine and iron in a tasteless form. The Quinine drives out malaria, the iron builds up the system. 50 cents.

The Elton Times commenting on the ever present bootlegger, suggests this: Let the legislature make the illegal sale a felony, punishable, even at the minimum by a long term at hard labor in the penitentiary. Why can't the next General Assembly enact such a law? The prohibitionists will be for it to a man, and certainly the legitimate liquor interests, which profess such horror of the practice, will not be found objecting.

FOR SALE: A 4-room residence and about one acre ground, located in the west end of town, above overflow. Fine view and nice surroundings. Stable and other improvements. No city taxes. A bargain.—The Courier.

'I'M A HUNGRY MAN' SAYS JOE GOATEY.

Life Long Residence of Cairo Speaks Frankly.

Hasn't Touched A Bite of Break fast for 15 Years.

Tanlac Brings Wonderful Relief.

Cairo, Ills., Oct. 13, 1915.

"You can't say too much for Tanlac," was the enthusiastic declaration of Mr. Joe E. Goatey, who resides at 338 Thirty-Third street, and is a life long resident of Cairo, when seen yesterday. Mr. Goatey is the well known Table Inspector for the Singer Sewing Co., and a man of unquestionable veracity. His long residence in this city has won for him the confidence and esteem of the entire community. Here is what he says about his long struggle with ill health:

"For a long while I was down with back trouble which prevented me from sleeping scarcely any at all in comfort. Not only my back, but my stomach hurt me almost constantly. I couldn't lie on my side without suffering pain. When gas accumulated in my stomach the pain became so severe I could hardly stand it."

"Constipation of almost chronic character gave me considerable annoyance and discomfort. Months at a time I had a tired, worn-out every minute of the time feeling that kept me in a constant state of nervousness. I was unfit for work, in fact, I really wanted to remain in bed. I had lost all my energy. My appetite deserted me nearly entirely and food didn't have the right taste. When I did force myself to eat, I had no digestion."

"Three or four times a night I would have to respond to the course of kidney trouble."

Having heard so many people in whom I had confidence brag of Tanlac, the new preparation, induced me to buy a bottle of it. In two or three days I felt like a new person. I feel fine now. My head has cleared up, I don't have any more malaria, my back and stomach have quit hurting me, I sleep sound, even while lying on my side, my kidneys are as regular as anyone could ask. My old strength has come back to me. I'm able to work every day and my good appetite is a wonder to my family. For fifteen years before I took Tanlac, I hadn't touched a mouthful of breakfast. I just couldn't now, though, my appetite takes me back to the days when I was a boy. I'm hungry all the time. Let me repeat that I can't say too much in favor of Tanlac. It has been a good medicine for me."

Tanlac, the premier preparation referred to is sold exclusively in Hickman at Hickman Drug Co., by the personal direction of J. L. Cropper, who is meeting the crowds daily and explaining Tanlac.

QUITE NECESSARY.

Sing a song of microbes, Dainty little things, Ears and eyes, and horns, and tails, Claws and fangs and stings.

Microbes in the carpet, Microbes in the wall, Microbes in the vestibule, Microbes in the hall.

Microbes on the money, Microbes in my hair, Microbes in my meat and bread, Microbes everywhere.

Microbes in the butter, Microbes in the cheese, Microbes on the knives and forks, Microbes in the breeze.

Microbes in the pantry, Microbes in the train, Microbes in my shoes and boots, Microbes in my brain.

Fussy little microbes, Billions at birth, Make our flesh, blood and bones, Keep us on the earth.

If your child starts in its sleep, picks at the nose, has a bad breath, fickle appetite, pale complexion, and dark rings under the eyes, it has worms; and as long as they remain in the intestines, that child will be sickly. WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE clears out the worms, strengthens the stomach and bowels and puts the little one on the road to health and cheerfulness. Price 25c per bottle. Sold by Hickman Drug Co. Advt.

Jim Ford was down from Cairo Friday and Saturday, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Jones.

LODGE NOTES

L. O. O. M. NOTICE.

Hickman Lodge No. 1294, Loyal Order of Moose will meet every Tuesday night at their present club rooms at 7:30 p. m. All members are requested to attend each meetings.—A. M. Shaw, Dictator, D. C. Henry, Secy.

Hickman Chapter No. 49, R. A. M., will meet in stated convocation next Monday evening. Members requested to be present and visiting companions extended a cordial welcome. Lon Naylor, H. P., W. F. Montgomery, Secy.

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I am authorized to take applications for loans on lands in Obion and Weakley Counties, Tenn., and Fulton County, Ky. The terms and conditions upon which this money will be loaned are most favorable to the borrower. All or part of a loan may be paid after one year, interest being stopped on payment made.

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Sick Women Attention

Is it possible there is a woman in this country who continues to suffer without giving Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial after all the evidence that is continually being published, which proves beyond contradiction that this grand old medicine has relieved more suffering among women than any other one medicine in the world?

We have published in the newspapers of the United States more genuine testimonial letters than have ever been published in the interest of any other medicine for women—and every year we publish many new testimonials, all genuine and true. Here are three never before published:

From Mrs. S. T. Richmond, Providence, R. I.

PROVIDENCE, R. I.—"For the benefit of women who suffer as I have done I wish to state what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. I did some heavy lifting and the doctor said it caused a displacement. I have always been weak and overworked after my baby was born and inflammation set in, then nervous prostration, from which I did not recover until I had taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. The Compound is my best friend and when I hear of a woman with troubles like mine I try to induce her to take your medicine."—Mrs. S. T. Richmond, 84 Progress Avenue, Providence, R. I.

From Mrs. Maria Irwin, Peru, N.Y.

PERU, N.Y.—"Before I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I was very irregular and had much pain. I had lost three children, and felt worn out all the time. This splendid medicine helped me as nothing else had done, and I am thankful every day that I took it."—Mrs. Maria Irwin, R.F.D. 1, Peru, N.Y.

From Mrs. Jane D. Duncan, W. Quincy, Mass.

SOUTH QUINCY, MASS.—"The doctor said that I had organic trouble and he doctored me for a long time and I did not get any relief. I saw Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound advertised and I tried it and found relief before I had finished the first bottle. I continued taking it all through middle life and am now a strong, healthy woman and earn my own living."—Mrs. Jane D. Duncan, Forest Avenue, West Quincy, Mass.

Write to LYDIA E. PINKHAM MEDICINE CO. (CONFIDENTIAL), LYNN, MASS., for advice. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.



GRIND OF THE COURTS

CIRCUIT COURT.

Circuit Court adjourned Saturday after the longest and busiest a court of the year. Four minutes were returned by the jury. The following cases were disposed of since last day morning.

W. Simpson, forgery, sentenced to four years in prison.

McKinney, malicious school teacher, sentenced to three years in prison.

Marshall, charged with stealing, transferred to county.

Whitely, wilful trespasser, sentenced to three months in jail.

Brace, disturbing public peace, tried by court and jury.

Thames, convicted at this court on charge of forgery, new trial.

Jackson, petit larceny, sentenced to three months in jail.

Brace, under a sentence of ten days in jail for disturbing public peace, sentenced to three months in jail.

Young, sentenced to three months in jail for disturbing public peace, sentenced to three months in jail.

On brought by the county was employed as a day laborer by Naylor Merc Co., was entitled to car night.

Following civil cases were heard.

Boyd vs. W. H. Hammond, judgment for \$990.

Clark vs. W. H. Hammond, judgment for \$680.

Thames vs. J. P. Lutz, judgment for \$749.

Thames vs. Bondurant & Bondurant, judgment for \$1144.

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The Sweetest Thing on Earth

is the general verdict regarding our confectionery. That you will agree with it, we are absolutely confident, if you but give our candy a trial. People say they cannot tell the difference between ours and those sold at extravagantly high prices. No wonder. There isn't any difference except in the price. Always fresh. We buy by express shipments each week.

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The Rexall Store

Both Phones.

Master Contractor, to hear James O'Connell, et al. vs. R. E. Miller, deceased.

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W. C. Hodges vs. C. E. Mooney, judgment for \$20.

City of Fulton vs. W. H. Norman, dismissed settled.

W. B. Stallings vs. C. H. Brantford, judgment for \$58.75.

Joe Wade & Co. vs. Geo. Alley, judgment for \$166.94.

Mrs. Maggie Thomas vs. Tom Thomas, divorce granted. Property was ordered divided to the two children of the couple, J. W. Morris being appointed special commissioner to make deed.

Plaintiff was given custody of children, with instruction from the court to bring them up to have love and respect for their father. It was further ordered that the children be allowed to visit their father when their health and convenience allowed.

Strass Bros vs. Geo. L. Alley, judgment for \$415.95.

Works Bros vs. Geo. L. Alley, judgment for \$218.60.

Mrs. Nettie Weatherly vs. R. A. Weatherly, divorce granted, their two children being given in to the custody of their mother, and defendant ordered to pay \$1 per week for their support.

R. H. Smith vs. C. T. Bondurant, judgment for \$40.

Singer office at Rice's Shoe Store.

See the new \$15.00 fall suits shown by Leibovitz.

Dr. W. M. Bright is down town today after a short illness.

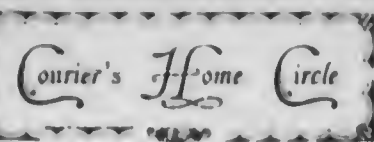
Paul Hornback was here from Fulton Monday on business.

Leibovitz specializes on \$15.00 suits. That is the reason he gives such big suit values.

\$15.00 for men's suits positive worth \$20.00 to \$25.00. The greatest clothing values ever shown—Leibovitz.

At all times a good sewing machine is a necessity in every home. See your wife lots of labor by getting her a Singer. See the great L. A. Brock, at Rice's Shoe Store.

We are told that a man tried to exceed the city speed limit of ten miles an hour a day or two ago and was thrown out of the car. Must have happened on the West Hickman levee road.



We all know the man, the mere grip of whose hands puts new life and strength into us, and the woman whose brave, cherry smile—amidst disappointment and trouble—makes us ashamed to despair and give up. And why should we not resemble them? It is surely better to be like a bright, cheerful fire, at which our friends can warm and revive their drooping hearts, than like the proverbial wet blanket, which can effectually put out the flame of love and hope.

A child should be made to feel that his home is indeed a home, the happiest place in the world to him, not merely an outward shelter and resting place, but a center of enjoyment, sanctified and purified by love, the thought and remembrance of which shall be the safeguard of his life as he goes forth into the world, giving strength and proportion to his character, and turning his thoughts to all that may prepare him for the heavenly home when the scenes of earth shall have passed away.

There are a few young men nowadays who show habits of thrift and economy. There is a disposition to spend rather than save, and through love of personal adornment, expensive habits and a lack of that desire to lay aside funds for a rainy day, our young men are not acquiring a reputation for forehandness, which might prove of inestimable value to them in the future. We would not desire them to be mean or selfish but there is a happy medium between a spendthrift and a miser. Gay companions, good playing and fine living pursuits will never enrich any young man.

A magazine devoted to young men has this selection: "Probably nineteen twentieths of the happiness you will ever have you will get at home. The independence that comes to a man when his work is over, and he feels that he has run out of the storm into the quiet harbor of home, where he can rest in peace with his family, is something real. It does not make much difference whether you own your own home or have one little room in a house you can make that room a true home to you. You can people it with such moods, you can turn to it with such sweet fancies that it will be fairly luminous with their presence, and will be to you the very perfection of a home. Against this home note of you should ever transgress. You should always treat each other with courtesy. It is of greater value and a more royal grace than some people seem to think. If you will but be courteous to each other you will soon learn to love each other more wisely and profoundly, not to say lastingly, than you ever did before.

Young man, you have a purpose in life! What do you intend to be or to do? The question strikes you with something of novelty. Yet it is the great one on which your future place in the world depends. If no life purpose is yet formed in your mind, it is full time that you sit down and spend a season in grave reflection. Without an earnest purpose nothing worth accomplishing can be done in this world. Thought, will, energy, work—these are the elements of all success. These are the materials out of which men construct their fortunes; and if you are dreaming of wealth, honor or position in the future, and have not these to build on, and with advancing years, will see the beautiful structure that now rises pleasantly in your fancy, fading away like the baseless fabric of a vision. Gird up your loins, and in good earnest, seek to acquire the highest ability in each day see you advancing in skill and knowledge; and as certain as the sun shines or the water runs, you rise above the common mass. And just in the degree that your motives are honorable and unselfish, you will add happiness to success in life.

A pleasing assortment of the very latests in mens hats just arrived at Leibovitz.

Leibovitz's Hat and Shoe service insures you Hat and Shoe satisfaction.

Good Things To Eat!

- New Evaporated Peaches, 3 pounds25c
- New Evaporated Apples, 2 pounds25c
- Finest of new Prunes (40's and 50's) 2 lbs.25c
- Best Louisiana Head Rice, 3 lbs.25c
- New Flake Hominy, fine, 1 pound4c
- Club House Brand selectd, seeded raisins, 2 large packages25c
- Marshall Cherries, new stock, bottle 20c and10c
- Liddy's giant size, Cal. Asparagus, 2 lb. can40c
- Liddy's 1 pound Asparagus Tips, none better30c
- White Asparagus, good grade, 3 cans\$1
- New candies, crystalized Cherries and Pineapple.
- New Lima and Soap Beans.
- New Country Sorghum.

If It's Groceries--We have it

BOTH PHONES

E. B. Prather

METHODIST CHURCH NOTICE TAKEN UP AS STRAY.

9:45 a. m. Sunday School. The children that attend Sunday School are stronger for life's duties.

11 a. m. preaching.

7:30 p. m. preaching.

The union meeting being held by the pastors of the town, at the Methodist church, is still in progress and interest has been increasing and we hope more good has been done. We can say this without the fear of successful contradiction, that we have never seen a more beautiful spirit displayed among different denominations than has been manifested in this meeting.

As far as we know may there will be services the rest of the week. Come and be with us.

STRAYED: Large black sow, marked underbit in right ear, swallow fork in left ear. C. Bondurant.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sexton, Wednesday, a girl.

We can shoe the family and save you some money.—E. C. Rice, The Shoe Man.

One breachy Poland China bear. Owner can have same by paying expense and damage.—S. L. Hodge.

Speaking of the high prices of hogs and the low price of corn, and the proposition of raising and feeding more hogs, thus converting cheap corn into high priced hogs, one of our farmer friends says there are very few hogs in this section—an average, he thinks, of possibly two to each farm. Marring the ravages of cholera there is something wrong when farmers don't raise enough hogs for meat. As we see it, it can only be charged to poor management. As long as our farmers sell corn at \$2 a barrel and less and buy pork at the butcher shop, just so long will they be "hard up" and at the mercy of their creditors. Let's have more hogs in Fulton county next year.

New arrivals in Men's and Boy's Hats and Caps—the best styles and lowest prices.—E. C. Rice's Shoe Store.

—DOBSON'S— Surprise Specials

For SATURDAY and MONDAY Only

"SURPRISE SPECIALS" means that values are so fine that you will not only be delighted at the great savings—but surprised.

\$3.50 BOYS' SUITS for	\$4.00 BOYS' SUITS for	\$5.50 BOYS' SUITS for	SPECIAL PRICES On Boys' Overcoats
\$2.98	\$2.48	\$4.75	

All these Suits are well made and of good material, all sizes and of the latest patterns.

10c Cotton Bats 5c Each	SHOES FOR EVERYBODY	12½c Cotton Bats 10c Each
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KINDERGARTEN SHOES

for the little ones. Plenty of room for growing feet---no end to wear. Always ask for and buy Kindergarten shoes. A good line of Ladies' Solid Leather Shoes at \$1.75 pair.

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STOVE TIME!

SEE US FOR

STOVE AND FURNACE REPAIRING, STOVE PIPE
ELBOWS, DAMPERS, Etc.

We are now showing the prettiest line of Nickel Plated Bath Room Fixtures and Furnishings ever shown in Hickman. Call and see them.

Hickman Tin & Plumbing Co.

BEST FOR THE MONEY

Bon Air Coal

OFFICE AT DILLON'S OLD YARD

A Share of Your Business Will be Appreciated.

Full Weights Quick Deliveries

..C. B. HACKETT..

NEWS OF THE WEEK FROM OVER WORLD

HAPPENINGS IN OUR OWN AND
OTHER COUNTRIES
BRIEFLY TOLD.

SHORT ITEMS FOR BUSY MEN

Week's News Condensations Re-
viewed Without Comment—All
Nations Find Something to
Edify and Instruct.

One of the historic oaks under which the Republican party was born at Jackson, Mich., in 1854, has been seriously damaged by a storm.

Thomas Capello was found guilty by a jury in the Franklin county circuit court of the murder of Robert T. Hill, chief of police of Seneca, Ill., on July 12. He was sentenced to serve a life term in the Chester penitentiary.

T. C. Betterton, general manager of the Tennessee Coffin and Casket company at Chattanooga, was arrested, charged with violating the penal code of the United States by shipping whisky in caskets sent out from his factory without showing their contents.

For the first time in the history of the state, girl ushers served in the Washington Park Methodist Episcopal church, Bridgeport, Conn.

On pleas of guilty under nine charges of embezzlement, Irving Hirsch of Little Rock, Ark., was sentenced to one minute of imprisonment in each case.

A verdict of \$4,000 was returned by a jury in the Christian county (Ill.) circuit court in favor of Frank J. Wotowa of Belleville Against Mrs. Ora Belle Ridgley of Assumption and J. T. Long.

In the midst of a session of court devoted to hearing divorce cases, Judge Sellers at Conway, Ark., suspended business in that line to perform the ceremony uniting T. J. Yancey and Miss Lillie M. Roberts.

Ellison Scott, a negro, was found guilty of the murder of his sister-in-law in circuit court at Murphysboro, Ill., and sentenced to be hanged. Immediately after being sentenced he escaped from jail, but was captured.

Despondent over the depression of his stock and bond business, C. C. McDonald, widely known Italeigh (N. C.) stock and bond broker, took his life at the Italeigh Country club.

The Lokal Anzeiger publishes a dispatch from Constantinople saying that the British consul and the consular guards at Ispahan have been killed by Persians.

Included in gifts announced by the Harvard college corporation was a letter written by Thomas Jefferson in

1819, in which it was stated that Harvard students of those days confined their drinking to water.

Mrs. Eleanor Elkins Widener of Philadelphia, widow of George D. Widener, who was lost on the Titanic, was married to Dr. Alexander Hamilton Rice.

Charles Flueter, night counter man in the railroad eating house at Missouri Valley, Ia., quit his job to be married in order to qualify for a legacy of \$17,000 left to him by an uncle in New York City on condition he should marry before Oct. 1.

The \$5,000,000 Arrow Rock dam, at Boise, Idaho, has been dedicated.

The Washington navy yard machinists have won their fight for increased wages. Beginning Oct. 3, a new scale of wages, with increases ranging from \$9 to 95 cents a day, goes into effect.

A series of earthquakes was experienced in Utah, Nevada, the northern part of California, Oregon and Idaho.

The German naval base at Zeebrugge has been bombarded again. Five allied aeroplanes attacked Zeebrugge, but only three returned. One was shot to earth by a German gun and another was forced to land on Dutch soil.

A federal indictment was returned against the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railroad, charging it with rebating.

The Russian Red Cross society has published a list of 46 sisters of mercy who perished in the bombardment of a hospital by the Austrians and Germans.

The pension office mailed to Washington addresses hundreds of pension checks for civil war veterans who were attending the U. S. A. R. encampment.

British military authorities have recognized the importance of machine guns by the formation of a special machine gun corps.

Fire destroyed the Salisbury road military hospital at Plymouth, Eng., but all the patients were safely removed.

Word comes that the prince of Wales, at the headquarters of the staff officers near Ypres, became too familiar with a pretty waitress and a jealous husband shot him in the arm.

A banker named Hugnet, who was serving a sentence in Paris for embezzlement, was released and allowed to "atone for his offense" as a soldier at the front.

Twins born to Mrs. Andre Freeman at Lafayette, Ind., are joined together, head to head.

Max Samfield, rabbit enthusiast of the "Congregation of Children of Israel," Memphis, is dead, aged 71 years.

Three sons of Gen. Edouard de Castries de Castellan have lost their lives at the front.

The first transactions in the \$500,000,000 Anglo-French five-year 5-per-cent bonds on the New York stock exchange was for the amount of \$10,000,000 at 98.

Alberto Garcia Granados, former minister of the interior in the cabinet

of Gen. Liner, has been convicted of treason and sentenced to death.

The famous parish church at La-choine, Quebec, was destroyed by fire with a loss of \$250,000.

Henry Handy Wren, aged 82, who died at his farm, Whitley Heading, England, had spent only one night away from his home at Whitley, where he was born.

At Conway, Ark., cottonseed sold this week at \$31.50 a ton, an advance within a week of \$18.

Warden J. K. Coddling of the Kansas penitentiary plans to have the prisoners eat from tables instead of benches. He has installed one table as an experiment.

All the passengers, estimated at 50, were killed in a train wreck on the railway between Vera Cruz and Mexico City.

Complete returns from 13 camps indicate the adoption of the Rockefeller industrial plan by employees of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company by a ratio of at least 8 to 1. The total vote recorded was: For, 1,930; against, 230.

Frank O. Lawden declares that he would exercise his authority to close saloons on Sunday throughout Illinois if he should be elected governor by the Republicans.

Official reports at Juarez state that Gen. Rosendo Hernandez, who was reported to have revolted against Villa, was shot by his own men.

It is reported from Bombay that a great fire occurred in cotton warehouses, causing a loss of \$10,000,000.

A bread knife thrown in a fit of anger by Frances Zimba, 6 years old, caused the death of her 5-month-old sister at Ellettsville, Wis.

When the shovel he was carrying over his shoulder acted as a lightning rod, Angelo Dell, 72 years old, was killed at Walla Walla, Wash., during an electrical storm.

While the main part of the Atlantic fleet is engaged in war maneuvers along the whole Atlantic coast, a detachment of torpedo boat destroyers was detailed to participate in a minute attack on the coast defenses of Boston.

Prof. Solá, director of the observatory at Barcelona university, has announced that he discovered Sept. 15 a new planet in the 123rd constellation.

A vigorous campaign to defeat the proposed new constitution of New York state, declaring that it tends toward aristocracy, was decided upon by the executive council of the state federation of labor.

Mrs. Alice Thomer was burned to death and her daughter, Mrs. Robert E. Preble, was so badly burned that she may die, when their home was destroyed by fire at Chicago.

Titto Luckner was killed at Benton, Ill., by a switch engine while attempting to board an Illinois Central train.

Three dwellings were destroyed and one able of a hill was washed away when one wall of the reservoir for the storage of the Portsmouth, O., water supply collapsed.

Dr. Frederick A. Cook, who left San Francisco in June to climb Mount Everest, in the Himalayas, was arrested in Rangoon, Burma, as a German spy.

President Wilson practically has decided not to call a special session of the senate before the meeting of congress.

Rev. J. W. D. Hunt, 85 years old, died at the home of his son, William Hunt, at Polo, Mo. He was a Baptist minister for 60 years.

Porter Charlton's attorney, Micell Pleard, requested an adjournment of the wife murder trial. Baron Seaneva granted an adjournment to Oct. 18.

The first snow of the season fell at St. Paul Tuesday, Oct. 5, the light flurry continuing only a few minutes. Deadwood, S. D., had from three to six inches.

The Hungarian minister of national defense has ordered all classes between the ages of 19 and 22 to present themselves for enrollment.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

At the last meeting of the City Council an act was passed making it unlawful for the drivers of automobiles to open the cut out on their machines while on the streets of the city, and notice is hereby given that the ordinance applying to automobiles will be enforced to the full extent of the law, and all the citizens are hereby requested to notify the city officers of any violation of this ordinance.

Attest: Jno. Pyle, City Clerk.
Tom Dillon, Sr., Mayor.

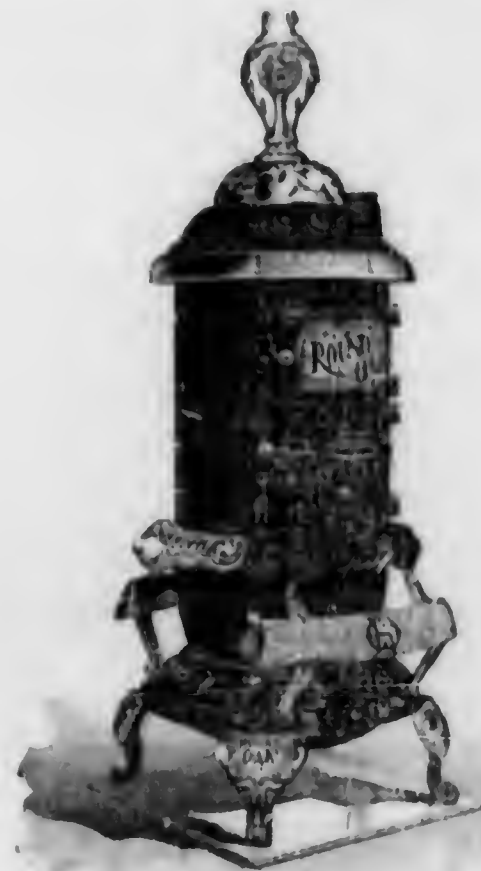
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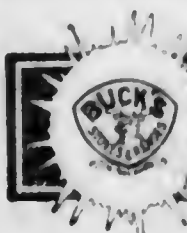


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